

## HAMPTON, PHOEBUS AND OLD POINT—Continued.

## JEROME SCOLDS HEARST

Assassin of McKinley a Pupil of the Editor, He Says.

## NEW YORK POLITICS GET WARM

District Attorney Does Not Think Much of the Man Who Prints Yellow Papers and Says "Willie" Will Not Be in the Coming Campaign.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—District Attorney Jerome today again talked of the political situation in this State. He also declared that Mr. Hearst as a man did not figure in the coming campaign.

"If Mr. Hearst was nominated by the Democratic convention would you support him?" Mr. Jerome was asked.

"You will never face this situation," he replied. "Let's discuss something practical."

"The Democratic party has had to swallow some bitter draughts in the past, but it will never stand for that medicine."

"You saw what Mr. Hearst said about you?" Mr. Jerome was asked. "Yes, I saw it," answered the district attorney. "There is no question of Hearst in this matter, by the person Hearst. The question is of the group about Hearst. Hearst, the man, is a man of no importance and no ideas. He is like Murphy."

"The question about Hearst resolves itself into the persons who are about him—those who are about him, those whose ideas, working on the added brain of Czolgosz, armed his hand to slay a President, and, working along those lines, is reflected in the conduct of the great leader of the Independent League, through President Bird Coler, who went along the line of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit, inciting to riot. The great sheriff, Flaherty, acted in a like manner. Instead of leaving the question to be settled by the courts, the matter which belongs to them to decide."

## PERSONAL NOTES.

The Coming and Going of the People You Know.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Stalnback, of Henderson, N. C., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Massenberg, in Malbury avenue.

Mrs. Virgilus P. Holt and children left yesterday for Williamsburg, where they will spend the remainder of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Forbes, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Cooke, in East Hampton, returned to Washington last night.

Miss Julia Massey has gone to Gloucester county, where she will visit Rev. and Mrs. Lee for a few weeks.

Mr. John B. Kimberly returned

yesterday from an extended visit to Atlantic City and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mugler and Miss Marion Mugler started yesterday for Round Hill, where they will spend two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Bridgeforth have returned from a visit to Leesburg and Blackstone.

Mr. John Rowe will start this evening for Lehigh University to resume his studies in engineering.

Miss Helen Demaine, of Washington, is visiting friends in Wine street.

Mr. Gilbert, a student of the V. C. C. Lynchburg, Va., is the guest of Mr. R. L. Tennis' family, on McRose avenue.

Rev. A. J. Renforth former pastor of the Christian church, is in the city today.

C. E. Stanton was in Norfolk yesterday on a business trip.

Mr. A. Noeth, of Baltimore, is visiting his brother J. M. Noeth, in West Queen street.

## Mr. Holloway Dead.

Mr. L. Holloway, 62 years old, a York county man, died in his residence near Poquoson last Tuesday. The funeral was held on Wednesday.

## DEAD SPARROWS IN STANDPIPE.

Water Supply Infected and Epidemic of Typhoid Fever Follows.

(By Associated Press.)

THREE OAKS, Aug. 23.—The cause of an epidemic of typhoid fever among the 1,000 inhabitants of this place was discovered today when a member of the board of health climbed to the top of the waterworks standpipe and found the dead bodies of thousands of sparrows in various stages of decomposition, covering the surface of the water.

The mayor gave instructions to empty the standpipe, scrub and paint it. Hundreds of sparrows' nests have been built on a ledge that runs around the funnel of the standpipe.

The cover made for the standpipe when it was constructed was never put on. There are now twenty-one cases of typhoid fever in the town.

## WITTE UNDER KNIFE.

Operation on the Former Premier at Frankfort-on-Main.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 23.—Count Witte, the former premier, submitted to an operation on Tuesday at Frankfort-on-the-Main which was performed by Professor Espley.

A telegram received here today from the former premier declares that health was the sole reason for his visit to Frankfort, all rumors of political aims to the contrary notwithstanding. He will be obliged to remain at Frankfort or in that vicinity for several weeks.

## Mrs. Morrison's Mother Dead.

Mrs. J. H. Morrison Wednesday evening received a telegram announcing the death of her mother, which occurred in Atlantic City on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Morrison has started for Atlantic City to attend the funeral.

## FIREMAN DIES FOR OTHERS.

Ran For Aid While He Was Fatally Injured.

(By Associated Press.)

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 23.—Though fatally scalded by the explosion of several tubes in the boiler house of the Abscon pumping station today, Joseph Medar, one of the firemen employed in the place, ran a quarter of a mile to the chief engineer's home to procure aid for his two fellow employees, whom he believed to have been more seriously injured than himself.

He fell unconscious as he told of the accident and was rushed to a hospital in an automobile, where he died in a few hours.

His comrades were only slightly hurt as they did not receive the full force of the escaping steam.

## ROBBERS ATTACK SALOON MAN.

Shot Six Times by the Burglars and Left For Dead.

(By Associated Press.)

GALLISON, OHIO, Aug. 23.—After having been shot six times by masked burglars, C. S. Bittlinger, a saloon keeper, staggered to the telephone and notified the police last night after which he fainted from loss of blood.

He is in a critical condition. Bittlinger had a desperate encounter with the robbers and struck one of them a terrific blow in the face with a beer glass. The robbers secured \$250 and a gold watch and escaped.

## JAPAN TO INVESTIGATE.

Killing of Poachers May Yet Cause Trouble.

LONDON, ENG., Aug. 23.—The Daily Telegraph's Tokyo correspondent says that the Japanese consul at Vancouver, having reported that it is impossible for him to obtain a satisfactory or full report of the killing of the Japanese poachers by Americans in the Aleutian Islands, the Japanese government had decided to carry out its investigation of the affair and may send a consul to the Pribilof Islands.

## FIGHTING AT BILBOA.

Many Strikers Wounded by Troops—Martial Law.

(By Associated Press.)

MADRID, Aug. 23.—The situation at Bilbao is becoming worse. Troops and strikers this evening were in conflict in the market place, and the San Antonio bridge, and in the fighting many persons were wounded. A state of siege has been proclaimed. No newspapers are being published.

## When Edison Apologized.

When Thomas A. Edison first came to Washington to display the graphophone, which had just recently been invented, Roscoe Conkling, who was at ways quite vain, was there too. Mr. Conkling wore a little curl on his forehead, and when Mr. Edison repeated something about a little girl with a little curl right in the middle of her forehead, the New York senator thought that, of course, the remark was made for him, and Mr. Edison had to apologize. Dr. Rogers's Reminiscences of Charles Sumner in Washington Post.

## A Lofly Mind.

A lofty mind always thinks nobly. It easily creates vivid, agreeable and natural families and places them in their best light, clothes them with all appropriate adornments, studies others' tastes and cleaves away from its own thoughts all that is useless and disagreeable.—Rochefoucauld.

## Unworthy of Remembrance.

My Dear Friend—I beg you to lend me 6,000 francs. Then forget me forever. I am not worthy to be remembered.—From a Letter Found by Paris Figure.

## Judiciously Revised.

Never hit a man when he is up.—Dallas Morning News.

## Fixing Her Face.

She started, recoiled and then bent anxiously nearer her mirror.

"A wrinkle, as I'm alive!" she exclaimed.

She was of a buoyant temper, however.

"I suppose I'll have to put a good face on it," she said, reaching forth for the necessary materials.—Puck.

## An Economical Place.

Short—I say, old man, will you lend me \$5 for an hour? Long—No. Go and sit in the park for an hour; then you won't need it.—Chicago News.

## Broken English.

Teacher—What are the parts of speech? Tommy Tucker—It's—it's when a man stutters.—Chicago Tribune.

Do what you consider right, whatever people may think of it, despite censure and praise.—Pythagoras.

## This Was in 1893.

Says the London Times of May, 1896: "A decently dressed woman was last night brought out into Smithfield for sale, but the brutal conduct of the bidders induced the man who was, or pretended to be, her husband, to refuse to sell her; on which a scene of riot and confusion highly disgraceful to our police took place."

## There's a Reason.

Bill—He used to be a lawbreaker, but he's changed now. Jill—Keeps within the law, now, does he? Bill—Oh yes, keeps within the jail too.—Yonkers Statesman.

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Star A Rye, gallon . . . . . \$2.00  
Moss Rose, gallon . . . . . \$2.00  
Larkwood pure Rye, gallon . . . . . \$2.00  
Jefferson pure Rye, gallon . . . . . \$1.75  
Kentucky Bourbon, gallon . . . . . \$1.40  
Double Stamp Gln, gallon . . . . . \$2.00  
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